

PHH CORP
Form 8-K
June 02, 2010

**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 8-K
CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): May 28, 2010**

PHH CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

MARYLAND
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

1-7797
(Commission File Number)

52-0551284
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

3000 Leadenhall Road
Mt. Laurel, New Jersey 08054
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)
(856) 917-1744

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 1.01. Entry Into a Material Definitive Agreement

On May 28, 2010, PHH Corporation (the Company) entered into an amendment, dated as of May 28, 2010 (the Amendment), to the Rights Agreement, dated as of January 28, 2005 (the Rights Agreement), by and between the Company and The Bank of New York Mellon, a New York banking corporation (the Rights Agent), as rights agent pursuant to the Rights Agreement. Pursuant to the Amendment, the expiration date of the shareholder rights plan contemplated by the Rights Agreement was accelerated. Following the Amendment, the shareholder rights plan terminated on May 28, 2010.

The Company currently has no plan to renew or replace the Rights Agreement.

A copy of the Amendment is attached as Exhibit 4.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference. A copy of the Rights Agreement as originally executed is attached as Exhibit 4.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K of the Company dated February 1, 2005 and is incorporated herein by reference. The foregoing description of the Amendment and the Rights Agreement does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Amendment and the Rights Agreement.

Item 3.03. Material Modification to Rights of Security Holders

The information set forth in Item 1.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K is incorporated into this Item 3.03 by reference.

Item 8.01. Other Events

On May 28, 2010, the Company issued a press release announcing the Amendment to the Rights Agreement, disclosed in Item 1.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K, and the adoption by the Company's Board of Directors of updates to the Company's Corporate Governance Policies relating to (i) the adoption of replacement shareholder rights plans and (ii) a majority voting policy for uncontested director elections. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

4.1 Amendment to the Rights Agreement, dated as of May 28, 2010, by and between PHH Corporation and The Bank of New York Mellon, amending the Rights Agreement, dated as of January 28, 2005.

99.1 Press Release of PHH Corporation, dated May 28, 2010.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

PHH CORPORATION

Dated: June 2, 2010

By: /s/ William F. Brown
Name: William F. Brown
Title: Senior Vice President, General
Counsel & Secretary